GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Mines & Geology Department – Allegations of under measuring of rough colour granite blocks transported through lorries from Visakhapatnam to Tamilnadu State - Action against Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, O/o Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam-Charges framed – Inquiry report submitted - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES, INFRASTRUCTURE, INVESTMENT AND COMMERCE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 241 Dated: 18-09-2019.
Read the following:

1. Vigilance Report No.9 (243/V&E/NRI/2012); Dt:22.01.2013.
2. G.O. Rt. No.183; Ind. & Com. (Vig) Dept. Dt:19.05.2015.
3. G.O. Rt. No.125; Ind. & Com. (Vig) Dept. Dt:25.04.2018.
4. G.O Rt.No. 126; Ind.& Com(Vig) Dept. Dt.25.04.2018.
5. Lr. No. 1055/E/2018, Dt. 25.06.2018 from Inquiry Authority.
6. From the DMG, AP, Lr No.14565/El/2013, dt.05.02.2019.

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ORDER:

Whereas in the reference 1st read above, the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department have conducted an enquiry and recommended to initiate disciplinary action against Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, office of the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam for under measuring of rough colour granite blocks transported through lorries from Visakhapatnam to Tamilnadu State. In the reference 2nd read above , Government have issued Article of Charges against Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, Office of the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam.

2. And whereas in the references 3rd and 4th read above, Government appointed Presenting Officer and Inquiry Authority to Inquiry into the charges framed against Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, Office of the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam.

3. And whereas in the reference 6th read above, the Director of Mines and Geology, Vijayawada while forwarding the Inquiry report in the reference 5th read above, recommended to drop further action against the delinquent officers.

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4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby decides to drop further action against Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, Office of the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam with strict warning not to repeat such lapses in future.

5. The Director of Mines and Geology, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K. RAMGOPAL
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (MINES)

To
The Director of Mines & Geology, B Block (Vth and VIth Floors), Anjaneya Towers, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Krishna District.
Sri Ch. Suryachandra Rao, the then Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam and Sri G. Shivaji, the then Assistant Geologist, Office of the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology, Visakhapatnam (through the Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada).
Copy to:
The Director General, G.A (V&E) Dept., AP, Vijayawada.
The Vigilance Commissioner, AP Vigilance Commission, 5th Building, AP Secretariat.
The OSD to Minister (Mines & Geology).
III&C (Establishment) Department, AP Secretariat.
The P.S. to Secretary to Govt.(Mines)
SF/SC.

//Forwarded:By Order//

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